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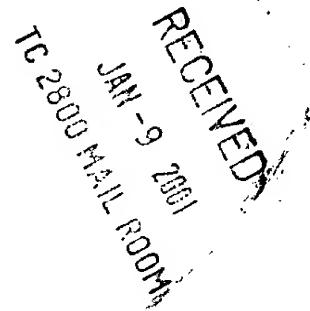
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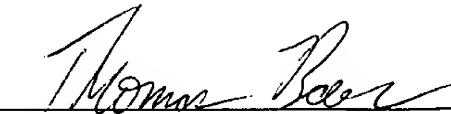
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WHEREAS, the undersigned,

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hereinafter termed "Inventors", have invented certain new and useful improvements in

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and have filed an application for a United States patent disclosing and identifying the above invention on December 4, 1997 as Application No. 08/984,979 (hereinafter termed "application") (we hereby authorize the assignee to fill in the blanks); and

WHEREAS, Arcturus Engineering, Inc., a corporation of the State of California, having a place of business at 1220 Terra Bella Ave., Mountain View, CA 94043, (hereinafter termed "Assignee"), is desirous of acquiring the entire right, title and interest in and to said application and the invention disclosed therein, and in and to all embodiments of the invention, heretofore conceived, made or discovered jointly or severally by said Inventors (all collectively hereinafter termed "said invention"), and in and to any and all patents, inventor's certificates and other forms of protection (hereinafter termed "patents") thereon granted in the United States and foreign countries.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of good and valuable consideration acknowledged by said Inventors to have been received in full from said Assignee:

1. Said Inventors do hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto said Assignee the entire right, title and interest (a) in and to said application and said invention; (b) in and to all rights to apply for foreign patents on said invention pursuant to the International Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property or otherwise; (c) in and to any and all applications filed and any and all patents granted on said invention in the United States or any foreign country, including each and every application filed and each and every patent granted on any application which is a divisional, substitution, continuation, or continuation-in-part of any of said applications; and (d) in and to each and every reissue or extensions of any of said patents.

2. Said Inventors hereby jointly and severally covenant and agree to cooperate with said Assignee to enable said Assignee to enjoy to the fullest extent the right, title and interest herein conveyed in the United States and foreign countries. Such cooperation by said Inventors shall include prompt production of pertinent facts and documents, giving of testimony, execution of petitions, oaths, specifications, declarations or other papers, and other assistance all to the extent deemed necessary or desirable by said Assignee (a) for perfecting in said Assignee the right, title and interest herein conveyed;

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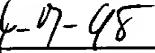
3. The terms and covenants of this assignment shall inure to the benefit of said Assignee, its successors, assigns and other legal representatives, and shall be binding upon said Inventors, their respective heirs, legal representatives and assigns.

4. Said Inventors hereby jointly and severally warrant and represent that they have not entered and will not enter into any assignment, contract, or understanding in conflict herewith.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Inventors have executed and delivered this instrument to said Assignee as of the dates written below.



Thomas M. Baer



Date

State of California)
County of Santa Clara)

On 04-07-, 1998, before me, LONG FA HWANG
personally appeared Thomas M. Baer,

personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of
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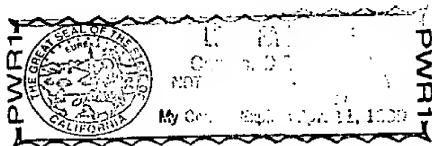


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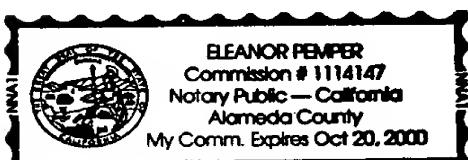
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WHEREAS, we, Thomas M. Baer, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 537 Drucilla Drive, Mountain View, California 94040, and David F. Head, a citizen of the United States of America, residing at 207 Thomas Drive, Los Gatos, California 95032, have invented a "LASER CAPTURE MICRODISSECTION ANALYSIS VESSEL" for which we have executed application papers for a U.S. patent thereon, which was filed on February 7, 1997, serial No. 08/797,026; and

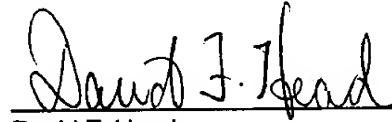
WHEREAS, Arcturus Engineering, Inc., a California corporation, having a place of business at 2630 Walsh Avenue, Santa Clara, California 95051, is desirous of acquiring the exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention and in and to the Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefor in the United States of America and its territories and possessions, and all countries foreign thereto;

NOW, THEREFORE, for a valuable consideration, the receipt of which is hereby acknowledged, we, Thomas M. Baer and David F. Head, do sell, assign, transfer and set over unto the said Arcturus Engineering, Inc., its successors and assigns, the full and exclusive right, title and interest in and to said invention, and in and to any and all Letters Patent to be granted and issued therefor, not only for, to and in the United States of America, its territories and possessions, but also for, to and in all other countries including all priority rights under the International Convention; and we hereby authorize and request the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to issue said Letters Patent to said Arcturus Engineering, Inc., its successors and assigns, in accordance with this Assignment.

WITNESS OUR HAND at Santa Clara CA this 10 day of
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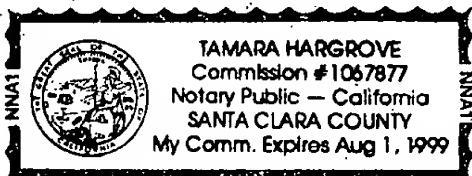


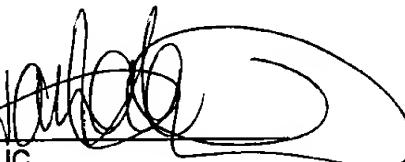
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